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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Title of Invention

PRECODING CIRCUIT AND PRECODING-
MULTIPLEXING CIRCUIT FOR REALIZING VERY
HIGH TRANSMISSION RATE IN OPTICAL FIBER
COMMUNICATION

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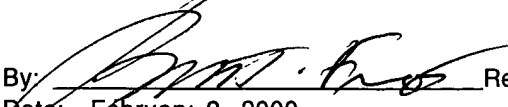
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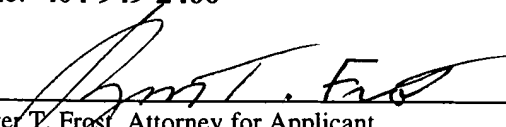
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